This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

## **Listing of Claims**

1. (currently amended) Use of compounds of the following formula (I) A method for the treatment of treatment of postlesional diseases of ischemic, traumatic or toxic origin, comprising administering an effective amount of a compound of formula (I):

$$R_2$$
 $R_2$ 
 $R_3$ 
 $R_4$ 
 $R_5$ 
 $R_5$ 

wherein X represents OH,  $(C_{1-5})$  alkoxy, NH<sub>2</sub>, NH- $C_{1-5}$ -alkyl, or N( $C_{1-5}$  alkyl)<sub>2</sub>;

 $R_1$  is a residue derived from one of the amino acids Phe, Tyr, Trp, Pro, which each may be optionally substituted with one or more  $(C_{1-5})$  alkoxy groups,  $(C_{1-5})$  alkyl groups or halogen atoms, as well as Ala, Val, Leu or Ile;

R<sub>2</sub> is a residue derived from one of the amino acids Gly, Ala, Ile, Val, Ser, Thr, Leu and Pro;

Y<sub>1</sub> and Y<sub>2</sub> independently from each other represent H or (C<sub>1-5</sub>) alkyl;

 $R_3$  and  $R_4$  independently from each other represent H, OH,  $(C_{1-5})$  alkyl or  $(C_{1-5})$  alkoxy, provided that  $R_3$  and  $R_4$  are not both OH or  $(C_{1-5})$  alkoxy; and

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R<sub>5</sub> represents H, OH, (C<sub>1-5</sub>) alkyl or (C<sub>1-5</sub>) alkoxy; or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof; for the preparation of a medicament useful in the treatment of postlesional diseases of ischemic, traumatic or toxic origin.

- 2. (currently amended) The use method according to claim 1, wherein X represents  $(C_{1-5})$  alkoxy, NH<sub>2</sub>, NH-C<sub>1-5</sub>-alkyl, or N(C<sub>1-5</sub> alkyl)<sub>2</sub>.
- 3. (currently amended) The use method according to claim 1 or 2, wherein  $R_3$  and  $R_4$  independently from each other represent H,  $(C_{1-5})$  alkyl or  $(C_{1-5})$  alkoxy, provided that  $R_3$  and  $R_4$  are not both OH or  $(C_{1-5})$  alkoxy.
- 4. (currently amended) The use method according to any of the previous claims claim 1, wherein  $R_5$  represents H,  $(C_{1-5})$  alkyl or  $(C_{1-5})$  alkoxy.
- 5. (currently amended) The use method according to any of the previous claims claim 1, wherein  $R_1$  is a residue which is derived from one of the amino acids Phe, Tyr, Trp, each of which may optionally be substituted with a  $(C_{1-5})$  alkoxy group, a  $(C_{1-5})$  alkyl group or a halogen atom, or which is derived from Ile.
- 6. (currently amended) The use method according to claim 5, wherein  $R_1$  is a residue which is derived from Phe, which may optionally be substituted with a  $(C_{1-5})$  alkoxy group, a  $(C_{1-5})$  alkyl group or a halogen atom.
- 7. (currently amended) The use method according to any of the previous claims claim 1, wherein  $R_2$  is a residue which is derived from the amino acid Gly or Ile.
- 8. (currently amended) The use method according to any of the previous claims claim 1, wherein in the compound of formula (I) is glycyl-L-phenylalanyl-L-prolineamide, N,N-diethyl-

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isoleucyl-phenylalanyl-L-proline ethylamide, N,N-diethyl-isoleucyl-isoleucyl-prolineamide, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof.